

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
EASTERN DIVISION

RONALD LEONARD PIERCE,

Plaintiff,

v.

ANNE M GARMON, ANGELA HATCHELL,  
WAYNE GOODWIN, ROBERT CUNNINGHAM,  
ANGELA FORD, SHANE GUYANT,  
JAMES AYERS, REBECCA SHIGLEY,  
TERESA KNOWLES, ROBERT MACK,  
ROBERT LISSON, FARM BUREAU  
INSURANCE OF NORTH CAROLINA,  
NATIONWIDE MUTUAL INSURANCE  
COMPANY, and SAFECO CORPORATION,

Defendants.

**JUDGMENT**

4:16-CV-20-BO

**Decision by Court.**

This matter comes before the Court on defendant's motion to dismiss, made pursuant to Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure [DE 39], plaintiff's motion for leave to file a second amended complaint [DE 76], and plaintiff's motion for sanctions [DE 84].

**IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED** in accordance with this Court's order entered August 30, 2016 this action is dismissed without prejudice as to Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company; Farm Bureau Insurance Company of North Carolina, Safeco Corporation; State Farm Insurance Companies, Inc.; Robert Mack, individually; and, James Ayers, individually.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED** defendants' motion to dismiss [DE 39] is GRANTED, and plaintiff's motion for leave to file a second amended complaint [DE 76] and motion for sanctions [DE 84] are DENIED. Plaintiff's motion for hearing [DE 89] is GRANTED by reason of the hearing held on November 8, 2011.

This case is closed.

**This judgment filed and entered on December 13, 2016, and served on:**

John D. Mansfield (via CM/ECF Notice of Electronic Filing)  
Daniel Snipes Johnson (via CM/ECF Notice of Electronic Filing)

M. Denise Stanford (via CM/ECF Notice of Electronic Filing)

December 13, 2016

JULIE RICHARDS JOHNSTON, CLERK

/s/ Lindsay Stouch

By: Deputy Clerk

